

2017 National Conference on Energy Efficiency as a Resource

PROGRAM

Wigwam Arizona • Litchfield Park, AZ • October 30–November 1, 2017

	Monday, October 30	
4:00 pm-7:00 pm	Registration	Sachem Foyer
5:00 pm-7:00 pm	Reception	Trellis Garden
	Tuesday, October 31	
7:00 am-6:00 pm	Registration	Sachem Foyer
7:00 am-8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	Sachem Terrace
8:00 am-9:45 am	Welcome, Introductions and Keynote Address	Sachem Hall

Welcome and Introductions

Welcome: Martin Kushler, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Hunter Moore, Policy Advisor on Energy and Natural Resources, Office of Arizona Governor

Doug Ducey

Tom Forese, Chairman, Arizona Corporation Commission

Introduction: Steve Nadel, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Keynote Presenter: Pat Vincent-Collawn, Chairman, President and CEO of PNM Resources and recently elected

Chairman of the Board of Edison Electric Institute

9:45 am—10:00 am Networking Break Sachem Terrace

10:00 am—11:45 am Plenary Panel Sachem Hall

Regional Round-Up: Utility Energy Efficiency Highlights from Around the United States

Moderator: Maggie Molina, American Council for an Energy-Efficiency Economy

Presenters: Midwest: Will Baker, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Northeast: **Sue Coakley**, Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnerships Northwest: **Susan Stratton**, Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

California: Michelle Vigen, California Efficiency and Demand Management Council

Southwest: Howard Geller, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project

South-Central: Chris Herbert, South-Central Partnership for Energy Efficiency as a Resource

Southeast: **Cyrus Bhedwar**, Southeast Energy Efficiency Alliance

Lunch and the opportunity to view and discuss the following poster presentations:

Eric Bruckbauer, New Buildings Institute

Multifamily New Construction: A Market Divided by the Energy Code

Christine Donovan, Vermont Energy Investment Corporation

Net Zero + Low Income + Innovative Thinking = A New Residential Energy Efficiency Resource

Paul Geary, DNV GL

Seeing the Light: Partnering with Local Government to Achieve Significant Savings

Ray Hawksley, Energy Trust of Oregon

Air Abatement: Necessary Evil or Cost Reduction Opportunity?

Alex Katzman, Enervee

Driving Engagement and Savings by Rethinking How to Incentivize Efficient Products

Krystal Laymon and Pam Mendelson, US Department of Energy

Low-Income Energy Affordability Data (LEAD) Tool

Maria Mauceri, Advanced Energy

SystemVision Affordable Housing Program

Tom Quasius, APTIM

Entergy New Orleans, Energy Smart Demand Side Management Program

Ethan Rogers, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

The Features and Benefits of a National On-line Marketplace for Energy Efficiency Programs

Mohammed Shahini, DNV GL

Leveraging Energy Efficiency to Save Water in Industrial Facilities

Mary Shoemaker, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Energy Usage Data Access: The Role of State Regulators

Gary Swan, National Energy Foundation

The First National Survey on Energy Literacy: Insights for Energy Efficiency

Jerry Zolkowski, DNV GL

Consumers Energy Industrial Energy Management (IEM) Program

John Zvimba, South African Water Research Commission

Exploring Opportunities for Energy Generation and Efficiency within Wastewater Services: Perspective from a Developing Country

1:30 pm-3:00 pm

Breakout Sessions

Energy Efficiency as a Resource (IRP, EE Potential) Track

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Session 1A: IRP Key Concepts and Examples

Moderator: Manish Rukadikar, DTE Energy

Modeling DSM Resources in the Southwest: Evolution of the "Bottom-Up" Approach

Presenter: Jeff Schlegel, Schlegel & Associates

Energy Efficiency as a Supply-Side Resource in Electricity Modeling

Presenter: Etan Gumerman, Duke University

Integrated Resource Planning: Giving a Fair Shake to the Lowest Cost Resource

Presenter: Nick Dreher, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Energy Efficiency Programs (Residential, Commercial and Industrial) Track

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Session 1B: Strategies for Large Industrial

Moderator: Toben Galvin, Navigant

Putting Large Energy Users in the Driver's Seat: Giving Customers More Control with Self-Direct Programs

Presenter: R. Neal Elliott, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Addressing Customer Energy Concerns through Strategic Utility Engagement

Presenter: Cole Granrath, Franklin Energy Services

Should Large Customers Stay or Should They Go? A Solution to the Opt-Out Dilemma

Presenters: Sean McCoy, DNV GL

Crystal DeCocker, DNV GL

Utility of the Future Track Sachem West

Session 1C: Key Issues for Utilities of the Future

Moderator: David Nemtzow, US Department of Energy

The Role of Energy Efficiency in the Utility of the Future: Getting Los Angeles to 100% Renewable and Zero Carbon by 2025!

Presenter: **Ted Flanigan**, EcoMotion

Integrating Power Markets and Public Policy, and the Case for Considering Energy Efficiency in the Discussion

Presenter: Cheryl Jenkins, Vermont Energy Investment Corporation

Energy Efficiency: Cornerstone Resource in the Utility of the Future

Presenter: Leslie Malone, Dunsky Energy Consulting

Measuring the Energy Efficiency Resource Track

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Session 1D: Energy Efficiency Evaluation, Key Issues and Examples

Moderator: Sharyn Barata, Opinion Dynamics

Review and Categorization of TRMs in the Market

Presenter: Greg Ehrendreich, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

From Gross to Net: The True Impact of Energy Efficiency Resources

Presenter: **Erin Malone**, Synapse Energy Economics

Turning Locational Value to Real Dollars

Presenter: Haider Khan, ICF

Session 1E: Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Programs

Moderator: Ed Carroll, Franklin Energy

Natural Gas DSM – Harder Sell But Can Be Done Presenter: **Michael Pascucci**, Xcel Energy

Using Demand-Side Resources to End a Moratorium on New Customers for a Local Natural Gas Company in

Massachusetts

Presenter: Kenji Takahashi, Synapse Energy Economics

Integrated Resource Planning: The Role of Climate Change Policy and Energy Efficiency on Natural Gas Distribution

System Design

Presenter: Suzette Mills, Enbridge Gas Distribution

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Energy Efficiency as a Resource (IRP, EE Potential) Track

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Session 2A: Energy Efficiency Potential

Moderator: **Dick Spellman**, GDS Associates, Inc.

New National Estimates of State-by-State Energy Efficiency Potential
Presenter: Danielle Sass Byrnett, US Department of Energy
Energy Efficiency Resource Planning Tools for the 21st Century

Presenter: **Eric Wilson**, National Renewable Energy Laboratory

Potential Studies: Don't Maximize...Optimize!

Presenter: Philippe Dunsky, Dunsky Energy Consulting

Raising the Bar: At What Cost? A 20 State Review of Savings and Spending on EE Programs versus Potential

Presenter: Toben Galvin, Navigant

Energy Efficiency Programs (Residential, Commercial and Industrial) Track

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Session 2B: Lightning Session: Residential and Commercial Programs

Moderator: Teresa Davies, DNV GL

Smart Thermostats for the Small Business Gap

Presenter: Charlie Richardson, Consumers Energy

Tariff-Based Utility Financing of Energy Efficiency Measures behind the Meter

Presenter: Walter Nixon, Arkansas Public Service Commission

Tuning Programs, Tracking Contractors, and Targeting Inspections with Near Real-Time Data

Presenter: Sarah Norris, EnergySavvy

Optimizing ENERGY STAR® Retail Products Platform through Field Services

Presenter: Alice Liddell, ICF

Residential Energy Efficiency: New Technologies and Data to Enable Value-Added Savings

Presenter: Steve Dunn, US Department of Energy

Geo-Blitzing Direct Install Program: Engaging Underserved Rural and Urban Small Business Customers

Presenter: Jason Berry, Willdan Energy Solutions

Keeping Ahead of the Code: Innovation in Commercial New Construction Programs

Presenter: Claire Cowan, Seventhwave

Session 2B: Lightning Session: Residential and Commercial Programs (continued)

Beyond Incentives: Using ENERGY STAR® to Support the Utility as Trusted Energy Advisor

Presenter: Erin Zayko, Lockheed Martin Energy

A Customer Portfolio Approach Overcomes Lack of Resources and Drives Results

Presenter: Maged Kafafy, DNV GL

From Crickets to Cash Crops: How to Grow Customer Satisfaction and Savings in the Agriculture Market

Presenter: **Duane Watson**, Franklin Energy

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Session 2C: Energy Efficiency and Distributed Energy Resources (DER) Integration

Moderator: Susan Stratton, Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Using the Whole Toolbox: Integrating Demand-Side Potential Studies

Presenter: John Agan, US Department of Energy

Energy Efficiency Lighting the Way for New DER

Presenter: Patty Cook, ICF

Timing is Everything: Understanding the Future of EE Capability for Utility Operations

Presenters: Mark Bielecki, Navigant

Tom Hines, APS

ComEd Sets the Foundation for the Utility of the Future with Smart Thermostat Program

Presenter: Jacob Stoll, ComEd

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Session 2D: Environmental and Health Effects of Energy Efficiency

Moderator: Julie Michals, E4TheFuture

Championing Energy Efficiency to Improve Air Quality

Presenter: Nancy Seidman, Regulatory Assistance Project

Health Benefits of Energy Efficiency

Presenter: Robyn DeYoung, US Environmental Protection Agency

Exemplary Programs that Benefit the Health of Energy Efficiency Program Participants Presenter: J.R. Denson, American Council for an Energy-Efficiency Economy

Other Utility Energy Efficiency Delivery Channels

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Session 2E: Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Programs

Moderator: Carl Nelson, Center for Energy and Environment

"Three Times a Combi" — Unique Approaches to Natural Gas Combination Systems

Presenter: Aaron Winer, Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Holistic Natural Gas Programs: How New Mexico Gas Company is Positively Affecting Its Residential Customers

Presenters: Steve Ellison, ICF

Dru Jones, New Mexico Gas Company

More Bang for Their Buck: Massachusetts' Natural Gas Customer-Wide Advantages

Presenter: Elyse Doyle, DNV GL

Energy Advantage Program: Creating Small Medium Business Market Lift

Presenter: Patsy Dugger, APTIM

6:00 pm—8:00 pm Welcome Reception Wigwam Lawn & Patio

Wednesday, November 1

7:00 am-4:00 pm Registration Sachem Foyer

7:00 am—8:00 am Continental Breakfast Sachem Terrace

8:00 am—9:45 am Plenary Panel Sachem Hall

Plenary Panel: Energy Efficiency and the Utility of the Future

Moderator: Steve Nadel, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Presenters: Marion Gold, Commissioner, Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission

Val Jensen, Senior Vice President, Customer Operations, ComEd **Nancy Lange**, Commissioner, Minnesota Public Utilities Commission **Andrew McAllister**, Commissioner, California Energy Commission

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Energy Efficiency as a Resource (IRP, EE Potential)

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Session 3A: Meeting Aggressive Energy Efficiency Goals

Moderator: John Mayernik, National Renewable Energy Laboratory

Successful Strategies for Meeting Aggressive Goals Year after Year: The Solution Lies within the Next Generation of Energy Efficiency Programs

Presenter: Christine Donovan, Vermont Energy Investment Corporation

Next Generation Energy Efficiency: Identifying Highly Successful Programs and Strategies for Cost-Effective Energy Efficiency Resource Acquisition

Presenter: Kevin Andrews, E Source

Trends in Utility Energy Efficiency Program Design and Performance in the Southwest

Presenter: Howard Geller, Southwest Energy Efficiency Partnership

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Session 3B: Combined Heat and Power (CHP)

Moderator: Patsy Dugger, APTIM

CHP as an Effective EE Resource for Utilities and States

Presenter: Neeharika Naik-Dhungel, US Environmental Protection Agency

Utility Packaged CHP Programs

Energy Efficiency Programs Track

Presenter: **Gita Subramony**, ERS

CHP as a Grid Resource: How CHP Can Support the Transition to a Modern Electric Grid

Presenter: Meegan Kelly, ICF

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Session 3C: Market Transformation

Moderator: Derek Okada, Southern California Edison

The Many Benefits of Upstream Programs

Presenter: Lisa Sarubbi, United Illuminating Company

Utility Energy Efficiency Program Administration in a Statewide Model

Presenters: Erin Brooks, Southern California Gas Company

Athena Besa, San Diego Gas and Electric

Market Effects of Commercial Upstream Programs
Presenter: **Hector Lefbad**, Energy Solutions

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Session 3D: Cost-Effectiveness

Moderator: Andrew Hudson, Energy Trust of Oregon

Including Non-Energy Benefits in the Evaluation of Energy Efficiency Programs—Where to Start?

Presenter: Alireza Bozorgi, ICF

Reforming Energy Efficiency Cost-Effectiveness Analysis: An Overview of the National Standard Practice Manual

Presenter: Tim Woolf, Synapse Energy Economics

Other Utility Energy Efficiency Delivery Channels

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Session 3E: Public Power

Moderator: Lakin Garth, Cadmus

The Whole-House Approach to Energy Savings

Presenters: Jonathan Coulter, Advanced Energy

Mike Smith, Electric Cooperatives of South Carolina

An Integrated Strategic Planning Tool for a Municipal Electric Utility

Presenter: Jeffrey Loiter, Optimal Energy

12:00 noon-1:15 pm

Lunch and Keynote

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The Utility Sector as a Climate Solutions Provider: Harnessing Energy Efficiency

Keynote Presenter: Chris Benjamin, Director, Corporate Sustainability, Pacific Gas and Electric Company

1:30 pm-3:15 pm

Breakout Sessions

Energy Efficiency as a Resource Track

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Session 4A: Time Value of Energy Efficiency

Moderator: Jenny Edwards, Center for Energy and Environment

Comparing the Time-Varying Value of Energy Efficiency in Four Regions
Presenter: Natalie Mims, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

Aiming for the Bulls-Eye: Time-Sensitive Valuation of Energy Efficiency

Presenter: David Nemtzow, US Department of Energy

Capacity: The Hidden Treasure in Energy Efficiency

Presenters: Jennifer Light, Northwest Power and Conservation Council

Lakin Garth, Cadmus

Time to Look beyond the "Hour"

Presenter: Hossein Haeri, Cadmus

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Session 4B: Low Income Energy Efficiency Programs

Moderator: Tim Guiterman, EnergySavvy

Low Income Best Practices

Presenter: Annie Gilleo, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

It Takes a Village: Energy Efficiency as a Resource for Low-Income Customers

Presenters: Elizabeth Parsons, TVA EnergyRight® Solutions

Scott Harrell, TVA EnergyRight® Solutions

Developing a Stakeholder Synergy to Develop and Maintain Energy Efficiency Programs for Low-Income Customers

Presenter: Maida Coleman, Missouri Public Service Commission

Helping Home Fund: Weatherization and Health

Presenters: Maria Mauceri, Advanced Energy

Lorrie Maggio, Duke Energy

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Session 4C: State Energy Efficiency Policies

Moderator: Patricia Stanton, E4TheFuture

A Transformational Opportunity: Putting Clean Energy First

Presenter: **Mike Bull**, Center for Energy and Environment Unleashing New York's Energy Efficiency Market Once and for All

Presenter: Arjun Saroya, Lime Energy

A Top Three State from the Midwest? Illinois' Innovative New Business Model for Acquiring Efficiency Resources Makes State a National Leader

Presenter: Chris Neme, Energy Futures Group

Delivering High Levels of Energy Savings for Utility Programs: Strategies from Arizona Presenter: **Weston Berg**, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Session 4D: EM&V 2.0

Moderator: Dan York, American Council for an Energy-Efficiency Economy

Expanding Efficiency Services and Advancing Utility Program Strategies with M&V 2.0

Presenter: Ellen Franconi, Rocky Mountain Institute

Judgement Day: Advances in Evaluation, Measurement, and Verification and the Big Questions Hanging in the Balance

Presenter: Julia Friedman, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

How Do We Measure Something that Doesn't Exist and Call It a Resource? Tales from the Counterfactual Number

Crunchers

Presenter: John Backus Mayes, EnergySavvy

Other Utility Energy Efficiency Delivery Channels Track

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Session 4E: Local Government/Utility Partnership

Moderator: Christine Donovan, Vermont Energy Investment Corporation

Advancing to Smart and Sustainable Communities

Presenter: Sheri Borrelli, The United Illuminating Company (Energize CT)

Filling the Pipeline with Savings in Public Buildings

Presenter: Cathy Higgins, New Buildings Institute

Realizing Energy Efficiency through Direct Collaboration between Utilities and Communities

Presenter: Courtney Weber, APTIM

Integrating Local Policies with Voluntary Programs to Drive Zero Carbon Communities

Presenter: Nate Dewart, Energy Solutions

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Energy Efficiency as a Resource (IRP, EE Potential) Track

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Session 5A: Future of Lighting Energy Efficiency

Moderator: Nick Minderman, Xcel Energy

Turning Off T12 Lighting...For Good!

Presenter: Joe Plummer, Franklin Energy

From Market to Meter: Effects of Lighting Market Dynamics on Residential Energy Consumption

Presenter: Laura Tabor, Navigant

Jessica Aiona, Bonneville Power Administration (co-contributor)

What's Next after Lighting?

Presenter: Ellen Zuckerman, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project

Session 5B: Multifamily Programs

Moderator: Ariel Drehobl, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Build It and They Will Come: Hitting an Energy-Efficiency Home Run in the Multifamily Market

Presenters: **Ken Owens Jr.**, Franklin Energy **Ken Robertson**, Franklin Energy

Do Energy Efficiency Rebates Help Drive Property Managers in Low-Income Areas to Do Energy Efficiency Projects?

Presenters: Christopher Conway, DNV GL

Cindy Nagle, DNV GL

A Decade of Results: A Retrospective of NYSERDA's Multifamily Performance Program

Presenter: Mark Lorentzen, TRC Energy Services

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Session 5C: Other Policy Approaches for Energy Efficiency

Moderator: Jenah Zweig, US Department of Energy

Rate Design Matters: The Intersection of Residential Rate Design and Energy Efficiency Presenter: **Brendon Baatz**, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Energy Efficiency in Capacity Auctions

Presenter: Grace Relf, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Beneficial Electrification Do's and Don'ts

Presenter: Jim Lazar, Regulatory Assistance Project

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Session 5D: Intelligent Efficiency

Moderator: **Ethan Rogers**, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Intelligent Efficiency and Utility Programs: Reports from the Midwest Presenter: Mark Milby, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance SoCal Gas Engaging Connected Home Customers with a Single Click

Presenter: Yeye Zhang, Nest Labs

A National Initiative to Advance Intelligent Efficiency in Energy Efficiency Programs

Presenter: Geoff Wickes, Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Other Utility Energy Efficiency Delivery Channels Track

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Session 5E: Energy Efficiency and Water/Wastewater

Moderator: Weston Berg, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

Moving Toward More Effective Energy and Water Programs

Presenter: Kate Robertson Zerrenner, Environmental Defense Fund

Come Together: Turning Utility Partnership Collaboration into a Strategic Energy and Water Efficiency Resource

Presenter: Mugi Lukito, Southern California Gas Company

Achieving Energy Efficiency in Water Utilities: A Model for Speed and Scale

Presenters: **Pranesh Venugopal**, The Energy Coalition

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